

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Title: RAILROAD CAR TRUCK AND MEMBERS THEREOF  
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**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner of Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

This letter is responsive to the Examiner's Office Action of September 15, 2009 and is timely filed prior to the three month due date for response of December 15, 2009.

- 1) Amendments to the Description  
There are no amendments to the description at this time.
- 2) Amendments to the Claims  
There are no amendments to the claims at this time.
- 3) Amendments to the Drawings  
There are no amendments to the drawings at this time.
- 4) Remarks  
The Applicants' remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.

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